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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**  
(Case No. 99,723)

In the Application of:

Shieh et al.

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HYBRIDIZATION WITH  
BIOMATERIAL**

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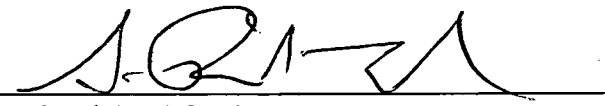
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